



## **28th Annual Georgia Medical Fair September 8 – 9, 2006**

### **Community/Hospital Fact Sheet**

#### **Clayton, GA/Rabun County Exhibit Booth: 35**

**Population:** Clayton - 2020 Rabun County - 15,050  
**Service Area Towns:** Clayton, Tiger, Mountain City, Rabun Gap, Lake Burton communities and Lake Rabun community  
**Service Area Population:** 10,000-20,000

Clayton/Rabun County's predominate industries are textile, agriculture, timber/lumber, and tourism. The terrain is mountains and lakes. The nearest large city is Atlanta, 100 miles.

Rabun County educational facilities include daycare and private school. Recreational activities include boating, fishing, golf, theater, state parks, and tennis.

Local churches include Baptist, Catholic, Episcopalian, Methodist, Presbyterian, and Non-denominational.

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**Facility Name:** Mountain Lakes Medical Center  
**Administrator:** Chris Bohan  
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Mountain Lakes Medical Center has HMO/PPO affiliations with Aetna, United Healthcare, Blue Cross/Blue Shield, and PHCS. The facility ownership is corporation. Mountain Lakes Medical Center's annual census is 38 % occupancy, 23% private, 39% Medicaid/Medicare, with 1560 OR cases and 7082 emergency room admissions. Mountain Lakes Medical Center has 24-hour emergency room coverage provided by a staff doctors and private company. The nearest referral hospital is in Gainesville, GA.

Mountain Lakes Medical Center has the following departments:

<u>Departments</u>	<u>Day/Hours</u>	<u>Departments</u>	<u>Day/Hours</u>
Cardiology	3/9	Speech/Hearing	5/24
Clinical Lab	7/24	Surgery	5/8
Physical Therapy	5/24	Telemedicine	5/8
Pathology	5/24	X-ray	7/24
Radiology	7/24	Outpatient services	5 days

Rabun County currently has the following health care professions in practice:

<u>Currently in Practice</u>		<u>Currently in Practice</u>	
Pediatrics	1	Dietitians	1
Surgery	1	L.P.N.s	
Orthopedics	1	R.N.s	

**Immediate specialty needs are: Pediatrics, Surgery, Orthopedics and Dietitian.**

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For further information concerning practice opportunities in Rabun County, or to request a site visit, please contact:

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Georgia Coverdell stroke registry project in conjunction with Georgia Medical Care Foundation and Georgia Department of Human Resources and Emory University School of Medicine participant.

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This site qualifies for State Medical Education Board Scholarship service repayment and the Physicians for Rural Areas Assistance Program.

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